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Knowing what programs are available and using them, key to responsible drinking.

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*Air and Space
Expeditionary Force
Tempo*

**As of April 24,
330 Airmen were
deployed to
17 countries
around the
world.**

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by Mr. Tom Fuller

49th Fighter Wing Public Affairs

With Air Force and Army members working closely together at deployed locations, it seems natural for noncom-
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meet and share ideas.

A dozen students from the U.S. Army Sergeants Major Academy at Fort Bliss, Texas, got up close and personal with 49th Fighter Wing NCOs Oqpfc{"vq"ngctp"£tuvjcpf"jqy"vjg"Ckt" Force does business.

It was the first time Soldiers in training at the Army's senior noncom-
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up with their Air Force counterparts at Holloman.

Vjg"kpkkcvkxg" ycu"vjg" kfgc"qh"Ckt" Force Senior Master Sgt. Tim Herrick, Sergeants Major Academy instructor, who, in considering Holloman's close proximity to Fort Bliss, thought it presented a good opportunity for cross-ser-
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"The idea came to me last year while I was a student at the Sergeants Major Academy," said Sergeant Herrick. "It occurred to me that in this day and age of high operations tempo and intra-ser-
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vtkdvg"vq"vjg"£ijv0" Yg" fqp0v" cnyc{"u" understand each other's roles. Since I'm now an instructor, I married up the Army military occupation specialties with our Air Force specialties."

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enlisted club.

"The minute the Army and Air Force NCOs saw each other they started interacting and establishing rapport," said Sergeant Herrick. "They then spent two hours of the day's tour with each other out in the Holloman units figuring out each other's missions. It was great!"

Army Master Sgt. Scott Whitney, cp"cxkcvkqp" o ckpvg/pcpeg"uwr gtxkuqt." was teamed with Chief Master Sgt. Kenneth Pease, Aircraft Maintenance Squadron maintenance superintendent. He said the chance to see how the Air Force does aircraft maintenance was a great opportunity. Fwtkpi" jku" xkukv." Ugtigcpv" Y jkvpq{" walked through the maintenance squadron phase dock where Airmen were working on three F-117As.

"It was a great opportunity to see jqy" c'ukuvgt"ugtxkeg" yqtmu"vjgt"cxkcvkqp" assets with their maintenance," he said. "It was incredible to see the differences and how much is the same between the ugtxkegu."cu" y gnm"cu"ugg" jqy" o {" "Ckt" Force peers do their job. I was struck d{"vjg" c'o qwpv"qh"ugpkqt"PEQ"lpxqnxg/ment. In one hangar I saw three or four E-9s, each of them with a different job within the shops or sub-shops, within



Photo by Mr. Tom Fuller

Staff Sgt. Bradford Bowen, 49th Maintenance Squadron dock chief, discusses maintenance practices with Army Master Sergeant Scott Whitney beneath an F-117A engine.

the maintenance program."

Whitney explained that maintenance E-9s in the Army are not directly in-
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"The amount of senior NCO super-
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Other sergeant major course students, paired with 49th FW senior PEQu." qdugtngx" qrgtcvkqpu" cv"vjg" 49th Security Forces Squadron, 49th Communications Squadron, Military Personnel Flight and 49th Logistics Readiness Squadron.

Dghqtg"ngcxkpi" J qnmq o cp."Ugtigcpv" Whitney said the day's experience solidified the fact that Soldiers and Airmen share not only the same foxhole but duties as well.

Showing off: Holloman pets gear up for pet show

by Senior Airman Terri Barriere

49th Fighter Wing Public Affairs

Kitties and puppies and birds ... oh my! J qnnq o cp" rgvu" y kmn" jcxg" c" ejcpeg" vq" uvtwv" their stuff for the community Saturday at Holloman Middle School.

The annual pet show, scheduled from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., is an opportunity for pet owners in the Holloman community to show off their pets, said Ms. Deborah Jenkins, Army and Air Force Exchange Ugtxkeg"cuukuvcpv" ocp cigt()

According to Ms. Jenkins, any household pet may enter the show with the exception of those deemed dangerous, exotic or endangered.

"I'm expecting mostly cats and dogs," uckf" Ou0" Lgpmkpu0" oDwv" yg' fq' jcxg" c" ecv- egory for 'most unusual pet.'"

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The canine portion of the show will be dtqmgp"fqyp"kpqv"ugxgtcn"ecvg i qtkgu0

The winning animals will be awarded Łtuv."ugeqpf"qt"vjktf"rnceg"tkddqpu"cpf"ikhv" egtvkŁecvgu0" Kp" cffkvkqp." gcej" eqpvguvcpv" y kmn"tgegkxg" c" iqqf{"dci0

Qvjgt"cevkkvkgu"vcmkpi"rnceg"vj tqwi j qwv" the show include 49th Security Forces kphqt o cvkqp"vcdngu"ugv"wr"vq" rtqxkfg"dcug" residents information on pet ownership

regulations, simple pet grooming and a Security Forces working dog demonstra- tion.

The food court will also sell refresh- o gpvu" hqt"vjg"gxgpv" ykvj" c"urgekcñ"rtkeg"qp" water and pet food.

According to Ms. Jenkins, Animal Con- trol from Alamogordo will be on hand for anyone interested in adopting a pet.

Those looking to adopt will get the op- rqtwpkv{"vq"jcxg"jcpfu"qp"eqpvcev" ykvj"vjg" pets. Animal Rescue from Alamogordo will urqpuqt"htgg"urc{"cpf"pgwvgt"ugtxkegu" hqt" those pets adopted at the show.

Ms. Jenkins said the intent of the show is to expose the community to all aspects of pet ownership.

"Pets play a major part of people's nkxgu.ö"ujg"uckf0

Pets and owners from around the com- o wpkv{"ctg"igctkpi"wr" hqt"vjg"gxgpv0

"I am extremely excited about the show," said Ms. Gina May, pet owner. "I c o"gxgp" o qtg"gzekvgf" hqt" I jkc"dgecwug"ujg" y kmn"fgŁpkvgn{"gplq{"cm"vjg"cvvgpvkqp0ö

Ghia is Ms. May's six-year-old bas- ugv"jqwpf"ujg"tgegkxgf"cu" c"ikhv"htqo"jgt husband.

"I entered Ghia in the pet show because u jg"nqxgu"rgqrng"ó" gurgekcn{"mkfu.ö" Ou0 May said. "She is a sap for attention."

Ms. Jenkins said people should come qwv"cpf" gplq{"vjg" hwp"gxgp"kh"vjg{"ctg"pqv pet owners.

Holloman volunteers aide in patriotic campaign

by Ms. Laura Hunt
49th Fighter Wing Public Affairs

Piece by piece, the Army Air Force Exchange Services visual merchandisers, position images on a quilt square that will be part of the “Patriotic Quilt.” The quilt square will be on display in front of the Base Exchange Main Store tomorrow through Tuesday. It will then be sent to AAFES headquarters in Dallas, Texas, where it will be combined with squares from other AAFES locations to make a “Patriotic Quilt.”

That support will take the form of a quilt square that will be one piece of a “Patriotic Quilt” that will tour AAFES locations across the country are currently designing and creating 18 by 20 inch quilt squares to represent – and show support for – their local military bases.

“This emotional connection campaign is an important part of our ongoing support to not only the troops and associates deployed, but those back at the home front,” said Ms. Jenkins.

Those images will be ironed or sewn onto blue stars.

“This quilt square will tell people about the military at Holloman Air Force Base,” Ms. Phillips said. “It will show what we’re about and what we’re doing.”

The Holloman quilt square will be on display at the main store from tomorrow through Tuesday. After that, it will be sent to AAFES headquarters in Dallas, Texas, to be sewn together with the other squares, Ms. Jenkins said.

Vjg"eq o rngvgf"öRcvtkqvke"S wknvö" y knn"vtcxgn" through the United States and should be in the Southwest from Aug. 14 to Sept. 11, she said.

Vjg"swknv" y knn"cnug"vtcxgn"qxgtugcu"vq"fg r nq{gf" sites and will end its tour at a selected Operation Iraqi Freedom or Operation Enduring Freedom base during the 2006 holiday season. There, it will act as a connection to home for deployed military members, Ms. Jenkins said.

“It’s just a way for us to show our support for the troops,” she said.

The quilt will also be a way to show support for AAFES associates, about 400 of whom are currently deployed, Ms. Jenkins said.

öK"fkf"kv" o { ugnh"ht"pkpg" o qp vju."uq"K"j cxg" c" personal connection,” she said. “It’s just a way vq" i kxg" qwt"ewuvq ogtu"cpf"hc o kn{ " o go dgtu" c" connection to the troops down range.”

Vjg"Rcvtkqv" Hc o kn{ "Ec o rckip"ngcfu"ugxgtcn" kpkvkc v kxgu" vj tqwi j qvv" vjg" { gct."kpenwfkpi" vjg" Holiday Tree, Family Connection and Back to the Home Front.

For more information about the Patriot Hc o kn{ " Ec o rckip." xkukv" www.aafes.com/Pa/ triot_Family/home.asp.



Photo by Ms. Laura Hunt

Ms. Jennifer Phillips and Ms. Patrizia Martina, both Army Air Force Exchange Services visual merchandisers, position images on a quilt square that will be part of the “Patriotic Quilt.” The quilt square will be on display in front of the Base Exchange Main Store tomorrow through Tuesday. It will then be sent to AAFES headquarters in Dallas, Texas, where it will be combined with squares from other AAFES locations to make a “Patriotic Quilt.”

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Photo by Ms. Laura Hunt

Look at this!

Airman 1st Class Cass Vaughn, 49th Medical Group Public Health Flight, shows kindergarten students a scorpion during the La Luza Elementary School Health Fair April 26. Public Health had a booth at the fair to teach kids which “creepy crawlies” are dangerous.

Airman's Attic: There for those in need

by Ms. Laura Hunt

49th Fighter Wing Public Affairs

Whether an Airman needs clothes, uniforms, furniture or household goods, the Holloman Airman's Attic offers it all — for free.

The Airman's Attic is designed to help Airmen and their families y j g p" v j g { " o q x g" v q" J q n n q o c p." u c k f" x q n w p v g g t" O u l" O c t i k g" F g n g q p l" Technical sergeants or below and their families can choose from the c d w p f c p e g" q h" k y g o u" c x c k n c d n g" c v" v j g" attic, including clothing, dishes, lamps, uniforms, books, appliances and furniture.

All of the items are in good shape, Ms. Deleon said. When something is outdated, it is donated to another agency. Sometimes x q n w p v g g t u" v c m g" v j g" k v g o u" j q o g" to clean them up for their new owners.

The Airman's Attic also has a wish list, Ms. Deleon said. When a new Airman gets to Holloman, they e c p" i g v" c" n g w g t" h t q o" v j g k t" L t u v" u j k t v" listing the items they need most.

V j c v" r g t u q p" y k n n" j c x g" r t k q t k v { " v q" the items they need, she said.

Petra Burton, Airman's Attic chairperson, said the attic is trying to help those without a lot of resources.

"I think we help out a lot of people that can't afford clothes," u j g" u c k f l" o Y g" j c x g" D F W u" c p f" blues. Although the military i k x g u" v j g o" o q p g { " h q t" w p k h q t o u." they can use it for something g n u g." n k m g" d k n n u." d g e c w u g" y g" j c x g" them for free."

According to Ms. Deleon, the families who come to the attic are grateful for the help.

"The women that come in here, especially the younger girls who are just starting a family, are u q" c r r t g e k c v k x g. o" u j g" u c k f l" o V j g { " almost feel guilty taking it, and c u m" ÷ C t g { q w" u w t g" K" f q p o v" j c x g" to pay?"

Helping military families in need is satisfying, she said.

"They just tell us what a d n g u u k p i" y g o x g" d g g p" v q" v j g o. o" Ms. Deleon said. "We help their families."



Photo by Ms. Laura Hunt

Lily Parrish, 4, cleans up the blocks she's been playing with while her mother, Ms. Sara Parrish, shops at the Airman's Attic. The Airman's Attic has several types of children's clothes and toys, as well as household items, uniforms, appliances and furniture.

On the side

The Airman's Attic is open to technical sergeants and below from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

The attic is always collecting clothing and other donated items.

To donate items, bring them to the attic at 2287 Torrance Place, during business j q w t u." q t" n g c x g" k v g o u" in the donation bin outside.

Anyone wishing to x q n w p v g g t" u j q w n f" u v q r" by or call the Airman's Attic at 572-2557.

49th MMG deploys for presidential support

1st Lt. Frederic Doss
49th Materiel Maintenance Group

When President Bush met with Mexico's President Vicente Fox and Canada's Prime Minister Stephen Harper in Cancun, Mexico, this past March – BEAR was there!

Kp"uwr rqtv"qh"vjg"rtgukf gpvou" xkukv." the 49th Materiel Maintenance Group fgrnq{gf" c' flxgtug"vgc o"qh"vge jpkeci" experts to erect a 4,000 square foot dome shelter to house two H-60 Marine One helicopters.

The opportunity to work alongside Marine Helicopter Squadron One rgtuqppgn"rtqxf"vq"dg"cp"kpvgtgupki" experience, according to Master Sgt. Richard Beaudet, 49th MMG team chief.

One of the helicopter squadron's rtk o ct{" o kuukqpu"ku"vq"rtqxfg" jgnk-

copter transportation to the president, xkeg"rtgukf gpv." o g o dgtu"qh"vjg"ecd kpgv" and other dignitaries as directed by the Y jkv g" J qwug" o knkvct{"qhLegl

Holloman's 12-man crew departed on March 21 and spent 15 days setting up and maintaining BEAR assets vq"kpemwfg"uwr rqtv" hqt" gpxktq o gpvcn" control, maintaining BEAR electrical i gpgtcvqtu"cpf"rtqxfkpi" o cvgtkcn"jcpd-ling equipment maintenance.

The team was also responsible for offloading nine pallet positions of cargo and upon departure, re-packing cargo and loading the aircraft.

Though the team did not meet the president directly, many lessons were learned.

First, the team sited Airman Roberto Cedenos Spanish language skills cu"kpxcnwdng"vq" o kuukqp"uweeguul"

His ability to communicate set-up

requirements to the local contractors was critical to rapid response.

Secondly, with many personnel deploying in support of BEAR assets hqt"vjg"ztuvvk o g."vjg"xcnwg"qh"vgc o y qtm" was emphasized. Senior Airman Wesley Lester was particularly impressed at vjg"ngxgn"qh"vgc o y qtm" j g" y kvgguugf l"

"From the team leader to the most lwpkqt" Ckt o cp."vjg"ngxgn"qh"vgc o y qtm" was awesome. I look forward to being able to deploy with this team again," Airman Lester said.

According to Tech Sgt. Thomas Kasky, team member, BEAR assets generally only deploy for presidential support when existing onsite facilities are inadequate.

"The last time BEAR assets were deployed in direct support of the president was in 1998 to locations in Africa and China," said Sergeant Kasky.



Photo by Master Sgt. Richard Beaudet

BEAR personnel erect the 4,000 square foot dome shelter. The shelter holds two H-60 Marine One helicopters.

Chief McKinley next CMSAF

WASHINGTON – Air Force Chief of Staff Gen. T. Michael Moseley has named Chief Master Sgt. Rodney J. Oemkpn g{"vq"ugtxg"cu"vjg"37vj"ejkgh" master sergeant of the Air Force.

Chief McKinley will assume his new position July 1, following the June 30 retirement of Chief Master Sgt. of the Air Force Gerald R. Murray.

Chief Murray's retirement culmi- pcvgu"4;"{gctu"qh"ugtxkeg"vq"vjg"Ckt" Force.

õkø o"gzekvgf"vq"jcxg"Ejkgh"Oemk- ley take the helm of our enlisted force," General Moseley said. "Chief McKinley is a tremendous leader with cp"ko rgtuukxg"cttc{"qh"gzrgf kvkpct{" and combat experiences to help him uvgtt"qwt"Ckt o gp"cpf"ugtxg"cu" o {" rctvpgtl" Yg" ygtg" dnguugf"vq" jcxg" c" pw o dgt"qh"gzegrvkqpcnn{"y gnn/swcnkLgf" candidates for the position. While the decision was not an easy one, I feel yg"jcxg"vjg"tki jv"rgtuqp"vq"ngcf"qwt" enlisted force during this time of a long war on terrorism, recapitalization and transformation. I look forward to working with him."

Chief McKinley is currently the command chief master sergeant for

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He originally joined the Air Force kp"3;96."vqqm" c" dtgcm"kp"ugtxkeg"kp" 1977, attended college and re-entered the Air Force in 1982.

Chief McKinley's career includes assignments in the medical, aircraft o ckpvpgpcpeg"cpf"ztuv"ugt i gcpv"zgnfu l" J g"jcu"cuuq"ugtxg"cu"vjg"eq o o cpf" chief master sergeant of the 86th Airlift Wing at Ramstein Air Base, Germany; 1st Fighter Wing at Langley Air Force Base, Va.; 379th Air Expeditionary Wing, in Southwest Asia; and 11th Air Force at Elmendorf AFB, Alaska.

Vjg"qhLeg"qh"vjg"ejkgh" o cuvgt"ugt- geant of the Air Force represents the jki jguv" gpnkuvgf"ngxgn"qh"ngcfgtu jkr." rtqxfkgu" fktgevkqp" hqt"vjg" gpnkuvgf" corps and represents their interests to vjg"C o gtkecp" rwdnke"cpf"cn"ngxgnu"qh" iqxgtp o gpv l"

The chief master sergeant of the Ckt"Hqteg"ugtxgu"cu" c"rgtuqpcn"cfxkugt" to the Air Force chief of staff and secretary of the Air Force on all issues regarding the welfare, readiness, morale, proper utilization and progress of the enlisted force and their families. – (AFPN)



Photo by Capt. Trisha Raynoha

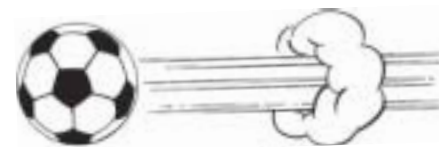
I found one!

A chimpanzee at the Alamogordo Primate Facility here enjoys eggs after the annual Easter egg hunt April 26. Volunteers and employees from the Holloman community decorated, donated and hid the eggs for the primates prior to the hunt.

572-RIDE

Save a wingman's life. Volunteer. That's the bottom line.
Airmen Against Drunk Driving

Holloman sports teams show up, show off for intramural sports

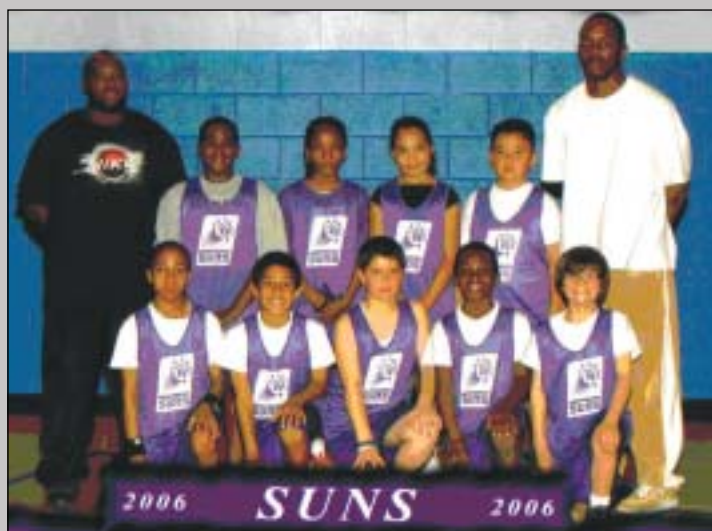


2006 Golf Standings

<u>Team</u>	<u>Won</u>	<u>Lost</u>	<u>Points</u>
49th LRS.....	3	0	6
49th MOS.....	3	6	4
49th SVS.....	2	1	4
49th CES A.....	2	1	4
49th MMG A.....	1	1	3
49th CES B.....	1	1	3
49th MMG C.....	1	1	2
49th CS.....	1	2	2
49th CONS.....	1	2	2
49th MMG B.....	1	2	2
49th SFS A.....	0	2	0
49th SFS B.....	0	3	0

2006 Intramural Volleyball standings

<u>Team</u>	<u>Won</u>	<u>Lost</u>	<u>Points</u>
49th MXS	9	0	18
49th CES	7	2	14
GAF	7	2	14
49th LRS	6	3	12
49th OSS	5	4	10
49th CS	5	5	10
49th CONS	2	6	4
49th MDSS	2	6	4
49th MDOS-ADOS	2	6	4
49th MMG	2	7	4
49th FW/MSS	1	7	2



Front Row from Left to Right: TyShon Jones, Pasqual Nieves, Tyler Shumard, Daekwon Carter and Elik Johnson. Back Row from Left to Right: Coach Matthew Jones, JaVante' Jones, Aliyah Casseus, Desiree Nunez, Gage Bongo and Coach Boyce Carter. The Suns went undefeated in the Alamogordo Jr. NBA/WNBA 9-10 year old basketball league with a record of 11-0 this year.

Intramural league paintball standings

<u>Team</u>	<u>Won</u>	<u>Lost</u>	<u>Points</u>
49th MXS	4	0	8
4th SPCS	3	1	6
49th MMSS A	2	1	4
49th MMSS B	1	1	2
49th LRS A	1	2	2
49th CES	0	3	0
DynCorp	0	3	0

Graduation

I tcfwcvkqp"hqt"uvwfgpvu"tgegkx-ing degrees from Community College of the Air Force, Central Texas College, Embry Riddle Cgtqpcwvkecn"Wpkxgtukv{"Rctm"Wpkxgtukv{"Vtq{"Uvcvg"Wpkxgtukv{"cpf"Wpkxgtukv{"qh"Rjqqpkz"ku"uejgfwngf" for Friday at 2:00 p.m. in the Oasis Enlisted Club. All are welcome to attend. For more information, call 572-3971.

Found

The following items were found and are now being held for pick up by security forces.

- Two Metal Scooters

- Abandoned Vehicle: A 1993 Red Ford Thunderbird belonging to Mr. Jermaine Embry was parked at Bldg. 1219.

For more information or to claim the items, contact the 49th Security Forces Squadron at 572-7177.

DTS

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A/C startup

Vjg"6;j"Ekxkn"Gpikpggt"Uswcf-ron Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning section has begun the startup of A/C systems. All A/C systems other than military family jqwukpi"ykm"dg"ugtxkegf."vguvf"cpf" started. The process is scheduled to be completed by May 31. Facilities are prioritized in the following order:

1. Dormitories

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3. Industrial areas

No requests or appointments ctg"pgeguuct{"cu"cm"heeknvkgu"jcxg" already been identified and are vgpvcvkgu{"uejgfwngf"0"heeknv{"ocp-ci"gtu"ykm"dg"pqvkgf"y jgp"vjgkt"kp-fkxkfwcn"u{uvgo"jcxg"dgdp"uvctvgf"0" Please refrain from placing trouble ecnu"wpvkn"chvgt"u{uvgo"jcxg"dgdp"cevxcvgf"0"

For more information, call 572-3223 or 572-3224.

MyPay Web site

As a reminder, the MyPay Web site address is <https://mypay.dfas.mil>. There are look-a-like Web sites dgkpi"fgxgnqrgf"vq"ocmg"rgqrng"vjgkpm"vjg{"ctg"ceeguukpi"qhLekcn" sites, including the MyPay Web site. These sites request personal kphqt"ocvkqp"vjcv."kh"rtqxfkf."eqwnf"ecwug"cxctkgv{"qh"rtqdngo"u"hq" members.

There are also sites that use the words "MyPay" as part of their Web address. While they may be legitimate business concerns, they ctg"pq"kp"cp{"yc{"chLekcvgf"ykvj" DFAS or MyPay.

The following are a few sites that use MyPay in their address.

www.mypay.com

www.mypay.se/indexen.html

www.mypaysolutions.com/

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Main gate construction

"Vjg"6;j"Ekxkn"Gpikpggt"Uswcf-ron is installing a concrete curb between the drainage ditch and roadway to stop stones from the ditch from coming into the road. During this construction, the far right lane will be temporarily closed from 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. Monday through Friday. Construction is expected to last no longer than a week.

After the curb is complete, the main gate area will be landscaped to match the remainder of the base. Access to the Visitor Center or its parking lot will not be affected. The whole project, including the landscaping, is expected to be completed by May 12.

For more information, call cus-vqogt"ugtxkeg"cv"794/54450

PADD

Airmen must designate one immediate family member as the person authorized to direct disposition of their remains should they become a casualty.

Persons authorized to direct disposition information should include the designated person's name, relationship to member, address with zip code and telephone number.

The last digit of the Social Security Number will identify when Airmen must update their records. The remaining dates are as follows:

6 – Today to Friday

7 – Saturday to Wednesday

0 – May 16 to May 22

For more information or for questions concerning the PADD designation, call the Air Force Contact Center at (800) 616-3775.

Scholarship program

Ckt"Hqteg"ugtxkegu"ku"eqpfwevki" the 10th Annual Club Membership Scholarship Program. Current club members and their dependents who jcxg"dgdp"ceegrvgf"d{"qt"gtqmgf"kp"cp"ceetgfkvgf"eqmgig"qt"wpkxgt-sity for entry during the fall of 2006 term as a part-time or full-time student are eligible to apply for scholarships.

Student enrollment status may kpxqnxg"gvjgt"wpfgti"tcfwcvg"qt" graduate curricula. Six scholarships will be awarded: First prize \$6,000, second \$5,500, third \$4,500, fourth \$3,500, fifth \$3,000 and sixth \$2,500.

Entries must include the club member's name, last 10 digits of his or her club membership card account number, base, club name and the entrant's full name with mailing and e-mail address and phone number.

If the entrant is someone other than the club member, state his or her relationship to the member and rtqxfkf"jku"qt"jgt"Uqekcn"Ugewtkv{" Number. Incomplete entries will be discarded.

Gpvtcpvu"owuv"rtqxfkf"cp"gu-say of 500 words or less on the following topic: "Proud to be an American." Nominees must also rtqxfkf"cu"uping/rcig"uw"oct{"qh" their long-term career/life goals cpf"rtgxxkwu"ceeq"ornku"j"ogpnu"kp" addition, each entry form must be ceeq"rcpvgf"d{"eqmgig"qt"wpkxgt-sity proof of acceptance.

All entries are submitted to the dcug"ugtxkegu"eqo"ocpfgtlfkxkukqp" chief by July 14. Only one entry per eligible person allowed. Submit all entries on compact disc (CD) qt"tqr{"ykvj"qpg/vq/qpg"cpf"c" quarter-inch margins.

The essay should be typed in 12-point Arial or Times New Ro-op"hpw"0"EF"qt"tqr{"owuv"eqp-tain (in addition to the essay) the kpfkxkfwcn"pcog"fcvg"cpf"yqtf" count and the summary of long-vgt"ectggtlnkhg"iqcnu"cpf"rtgxxkwu" accomplishments.

A hard copy of the essay is also required. For more information, go to jvvruc11yy/f/chux0ch0okn0

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Beginning May 11 the Holloman Law Center will resume walk-in legal assistance. Hours will be from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. on Tuesdays and 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. on Thursdays. For more information, call 572-7217.

Torch run

The torch run will be May 15 during the 2006 Special Olympics. The run is open to all law enforcement and military members.

Cost is \$15 per person, which pays for a T-shirt and insurance during the run. Participants will run from Alamogordo to White Sands Missile Range. Anyone interested in running, purchasing a T-shirt or making a donation, call QhŁegt"Dqtwpfc"cv"65;/65860

Case lot sale

The Holloman commissary case lot sale is Friday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m., Saturday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Sunday from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Shoppers can get bargains by the case and get up to 50 percent off regular prices on popular items.

Testing

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"Kk" {qw"jcxg"cp"gotigpe{"testing situation, please contact vjg"Vguv"Eqpvtqn"QhŁegt."Ot0"Mgp" Derenzy, at 572-3971. Normal testing will resume May 30.

Kindergarten Round-up

Holloman Primary School will host their annual “Kindergarten Round-up” May 15.

This is an orientation and pre-registration for students to start kindergarten this fall.

Two “Kindergarten Round-up” sessions are scheduled from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Attending “Kindergarten Round-up” dpggŁvu"mkpfgtictvpgtu."rctgpvu" and teachers. Please bring the child’s shot records, birth cert-vkŁecvg."Uqekcn"Ugewtkv{"ectf." emergency contact information and any medical information. (To attend kindergarten, by uvcvg"ncy."c"ejknf"o wuv"dg"Łxg"

years old prior to Sept. 1 of the school year.)

For more information, contact Holloman Primary School at 479-6122.

Tequila tasting

The Holloman Class Six is sponsoring a tequila tasting at the shoppette Friday from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m in honor of Cinco de Mayo. Come in and start your Cinco de Mayo celebrations by sampling a taste of Mexico right here at Holloman.

Participants must be at least 21 years old.

Lodging

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Saturday in the Park

The 30th Annual Saturday in the Park is scheduled for May 20-21. For more information, call 505-439-4142.

Safety Day

Safety Day is scheduled May 19 at 11 a.m. in the base Fitness egpvgt0"Vjg"fc{0u"cevkxkvkgu"kp-enwfg"htgg"xgjkeg"kpurgevkqpu." child IDs, a sports and recreation information fair, a motorcycle

“Ride to Work” rodeo, an ATV/dirt bike show and shrine, and a DUI “Fatal Vision” course. The base theater will also show gpvgtvckkpi"okujcr"rtgxgpvkqp xkfgqu"cvvjg"ucog'vkog0"Hqt"oqtg information, call 571-3793.

Holloman Salutes

Congratulations to the following Quarterly Award winners:

Airman category:

Airman 1st Class Amitesh Sami
49th Operations Support Squadron

NCO category:


Tech. Sgt. James Craig
49th Materiel Maintenance Squadron

Senior NCO category:

Senior Master Sgt. Edgar Poe
49th Operations Support Squadron

First Sergeant category:

Master Sgt. Mauree Powell
49th Materiel Maintenance Squadron



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Capt. Jay Bertsch
49th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

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Maj. Robert Haas
8th Fighter Squadron

GS-8 and Below category:

Mr. John Badjar
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GS-9 and Above category:

Ms. Marlene Clark
49th Medical Group

Celebrating API Month

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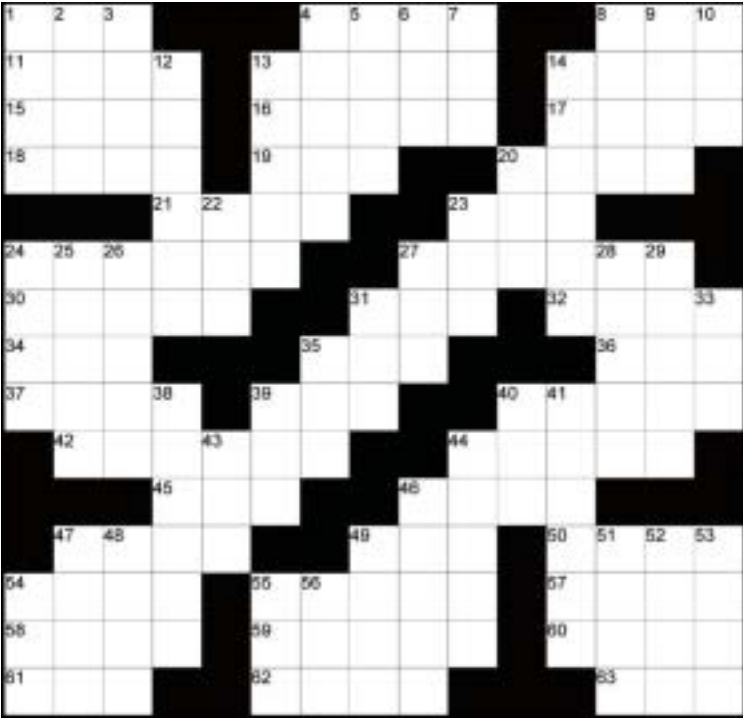
1. Weep
4. Opera highlight
8. Boxing result
11. Korean MLB player Hee-Seop ____
13. First Asian-American ambassador Julia Chang ____
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15. In a short time
16. Asian-American senator Daniel K.
39" Cxgpgw
18. Dorothy’s pet
19. Workout spot
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21. Castoff
23. Rio de ____
24. Sock pattern
27. Indian-born astronaut Kal-pana ____
30. Starch obtained from dried orchid roots
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36. By way of
37. South American country
39. Taiwanese-American chemist Yuan T. ____; 1986 Nobel Prize winner
40. Bidding
42. Calcareous tooth part
44. Concise
45. Actor Akroyd
46. Region
47. Before long
49. Japanese sash
50. Chinese-American fashion designer Wang
54. Large
55. Caesar was one
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58. Towel marker
59. Rudy’s team; Fightin’ _____
60. Fireplace residue
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62. Model Ostrosky
63. Sault ____ Marie

DOWN

1. Go away!
2. Japanese-American gold medal speed skater Apolo Anton

3. Italy shape
4. Synthetic resin
5. Drift
6. Yuck
7. Triumphant expression
8. Furniture wood
9. Gold medal weightlifter Tommy ____
10. Singular
12. Japanese-American Medal of Honor recipient/senator Daniel K. ____
13. Glazed, ring-shaped roll
14. Permits
20. Baseball stat
22. VCR setting
23. Resistance unit
24. Quickly
25. Searched thoroughly
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28. Jeans maker
29. Girl in Wonderland
31. Expire
33. *Crouching Tiger, Hidden Dragon* Chinese actor Chow Yun-____
35. Japanese-American Emmy-winning broadcast journalist



Kashiwahara
38. Disconnects
39. Vietnam Memorial designer Maya
40. Shoe size
41. Gold medal Filipina-American
43. *The Joy Luck Club* author
44. Vietnamese-American astronaut Dr. Eugene ____
46. Humiliate

47. Middle East canal
48. Shrek is one
49. Forget
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52. Turbulent disturbance
53. Wager
54. Cabinet post, in short
55. Mock
56. N.W. state

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The 49th Security Forces Squadron handled the following incidents from April 24 to Monday:

Property loss, damage or theft:

April 24: "C"ekxknkcp"tgrqtvgf"jgt" husband had assaulted her. The Airman was read his rights and charged with Article 128.

April 26: "C"ekxknkcp"tgrqtvgf" her daughter's bike and helmet had been stolen from Holloman Middle School.

April 28:""C"ekxknkcp"tgrqtvgf"cp" Airman had been arrested for posses-

sion of drug paraphernalia and resisting and obstructing arrest.

April 28:"C"ekxknkcp"tgrqtvgf"c" minor accident between two personal xgjkengu"cv"Dnfi0"9;20"Kpxguvkicvkqp"tgxgcngf"xgjkeng"qpg"hckngf"vq"qdugtxg"xgjkeng"vyq"yjkng"dcemkpi"wr0

April 28: An NCO reported outdoor jousting polls were stolen or missing from Bldg. 2883.

April 28:"C"ekxknkcp"tgrqtvgf"c" okpqt"xgjkeng"kpekfgpv"cv"Dnfi0":930"Kpxguvkicvkqp"tgxgcngf"vjg"ykpfdngy" c"icvg"qpvg"vjg"xgjkeng0

April 28: An NCO reported uqogqpg"rquukdn{"ftkxkpi"ko rctgfg0"Kpxguvkicvkqp"tgxgcngf"vjg"Cktocp" was impaired.

April 29:"C"ekxknkcp"tgrqtvgf" three dependents shoplifting from the Base Exchange.

April 29: A SNCO reported a ekxknkcp"ycu"ocmkpi"uwkekfcn"vjtgcvu0"



Duty title: Commanders support staff

Time in service: Two years, four months

Time at Holloman: Six months

Hometown:"Hc{gvvgxknng."P0E0

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– Col. Matt McKeon
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Crossword answers



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Heritage Center

The Heritage Center is open from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. every Saturday, at no cost. The center is a great place to learn about local Air Force history.



- Stay Alive (PG-13)
6 p.m. Friday
- Inside Man (R)
6 p.m. Saturday
- Larry the Cable Guy (PG-13)
6 p.m. Sunday
- Larry the Cable Guy (PG-13)
6 p.m. Wednesday

Chapel services

Weekday Masses – 11:30 a.m. Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Sunday – Catholic Mass, 9 a.m. and 5 p.m.

- Sacrament of Penance, 4 p.m.

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- Protestant Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.

- Catholic Religious Education, 10:30 a.m. at Holloman Intermediate School.



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